

Weekly Citizen

COCORITO CAMP.

Everything Booming in Northeastern Berrien County.

"I tell you, boy," remarked ex-County Commissioner Ribeira yesterday afternoon to a *Citizen* reporter, "the Cocorito mining camp is booming and more good works are being made in the camp than anywhere else in the southwest. I am thoroughly excited and enthusiastic over the prospects that district, for all the indications go to show that Cocorito will soon be known, not only as a mining camp but as a lively, business city, in a few short months. I live at Wallace, half a day's drive from the camp, and I know what I am talking about when I tell you that at least four hundred people are now scattered here and there in the district, with the prospects exceedingly bright for several thousand more by summer. I candidly believe, if the gold veins now encountered hold out, and experts say they will, that by next August or September a town of three or four thousand people will spring up, as mushroom somewhere in the immediate vicinity of the principal mines."

"People from abroad," continued Mr. Ribeira, "have visited the camp, examined the ore, and they all pronounce everything O.K. for a bright future. Hon. J. T. Domingo, of Nevada, where he followed mining for years, and is regarded good authority on mines, has made several visits to the district, and after every visit he becomes more certain that the camp possesses the requisite ore-bearing rock to bring it to the front among the principal gold mining districts in New Mexico. The excitement reached Wallace when *The Citizens* first heralded the news of the district to the public, and since then the little town, which has been enjoying a long sleep, has assumed an air of activity and outfitting parties are seen every day loading up for the camp. The boom will put Wallace on her feet once more, and as Wallace means buy from the wholesale merchants of Albuquerque, Cocorito will be the instrument through which both places will receive valuable benefits."

SHED A-D-C.

What Two Visitors Had to Say About the Stock.

Hon. F. A. Hubbard of Pajaro, made a pleasant call at *The Citizens* office this morning, in company with Col. Chase E. Hunt, ex-circuit court clerk.

A few weeks ago, Santiago, the bright little 5-year-old son of Mr. Hubbard, was kicked in the head by a mule, and the father informs *The Citizens* that the little fellow, although the wound was a painful one and Santiago's life was despaired of for a few days after the accident, is up and around, and appears as well as ever. The case was skillfully handled by Drs. Pearce and Kaser.

Mr. Hubbard stated at this office that the farmers of his neighborhood, down on the Rio Grande, are busily engaged these days in plowing up new soil for early planting. It is the opinion of the gentleman that a larger acreage of land, heretofore uncultivated, will be utilized this year in the vicinity of Pajaro than ever before.

The gentleman, who has thousands of sheep grazing on the sides of the Zuni mountains, is in receipt of a letter from his foreman, which conveys the pleasing tidings that the mountains were visited recently by a good snow; that grass is in abundance everywhere, and that all the water holes are full to the brim. The foreman states that the sheep are in the very best of condition, and Mr. Hubbard says that with continued favorable weather the spring lambing ought to reach as high as 50 per cent.

Mr. Hunt, who has been interested in the cattle business, more or less, since becoming a resident of the territory, reports having received recently a letter from a big cattle raiser east of the city, in which the information is given that all that section of the country east of Albuquerque, for a radius of 100 miles, was also blessed with a snow storm, and in consequence the cattlemen are feeling like their year for prosperity has arrived. The writer says the cattle are in fat condition, and that the range never looked better, especially in the past ten years, than at present.

Work for the Ladies.
All the ladies of Albuquerque who feel interested in the work of helping the needy and worthy poor are requested to meet at the parlor of the San Felipe hotel, to-morrow, Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 2 o'clock p.m. This is the regular monthly meeting of the Non-Sectarian Benevolent association of Albuquerque, but all other ladies feeling an interest are cordially invited to be present, as a larger membership is necessary on account of the numbers needing and worthy of help.

Mrs. K. Mandell, who has had much experience in such work in the city of New York will be present and will willingly assist in further extending and organizing this charitable movement.

Mr. H. B. Ferguson,
Vice President.

He resigns.

Sam N. Dredrick, well known in this city, lately with the O'Mara Coal Mining company, Los Cerrillos, made an assignment last Friday. F. H. Mitchell, of Cerrillos, is the assignee. Mr. Dredrick's assets are \$3,000, and liabilities unknown. The above piece of news will be read with regret by Mr. Dredrick's friends throughout New Mexico, but Sam will bob up serenely and soon be top ton once more.

Now Try This.

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ARIZONA ITEMS.

The peach trees are in blossom at Tucson.

A masquerade ball is looked for the 22nd at Solomonville.

Black tail deer at \$2 per head go begging on the streets of Tombstone.

Indians are taking out about \$600 in gold dust per month near Quijote.

None but democrats are now on guard in the government service at Nogales.

Robert King, a barber of Needles, committed suicide last week by shooting himself.

One business house in Tucson takes Mexican dollars at the rate of two for an American dollar.

Flagstaff claims to have shipped one thousand car loads of building stone during the past year.

Harry Castle rode from Wilcox to Solomonville one day last week in seven hours on a bicycle.

A new postmaster has been appointed at Redington, Pima county. His name is J. S. Warner.

The masquerade ball to be held at Williamsburg to-morrow night promises to be largely attended.

Yavapai county turned into the territorial treasury the sum of \$12,825 in taxes for the past year.

Constable Miller, of Prescott, has been held in \$2,000 bonds to answer for the shooting of Miles Archibald, chief po-

A Chicago syndicate is about to establish a bank in Yuma, and will erect a handsome building in which to transact business.

The Kingman smelter has been thoroughly overhauled and the proprietors are kept busy sampling ores accumulated during the stop.

The territorial university pays higher salaries to its professors than any college or university in the United States for the same class of service.

Sheriff Murphy, of Maricopa county, has brought suit against the board of supervisors of that county to recover \$1,331.65 fees, which the board refused to allow.

A man by the name of Clark tried to bag \$5,000 game in the Bunker Hill cemetery by killing the "Kid." His son was ill-directed and killed the Kid's son.

Flight business on the A. & P. is very active at present. Seven crews are running full time on the division east of Winslow and a like number on the division west of them.

The next legislature will in all probability carry out three new counties, making in all fourteen. The county seats of the new counties are likely to be Nogales, Wilcox and Gila Bend.

The steel for ten miles more of track for the Santa Fe, Prescott & Phoenix railroad is now being received at Ash Fork. Track laying will be commenced at once west of Prescott.

To a casual observer the fact that from Llano Ayres to Nogales, a distance of nearly two-hundred miles, not a custom officer is located, requires attention. That portion of the line offers peculiar inducements for the smuggler.

The cattle industry is in a most encouraging condition at present. Cattlemen declare that there is money in cattle at \$15 per head for three-year-old steers, and no desire of getting out of the business, as was the case a year ago.

The public school at Winslow has closed for the want of funds to pay teachers. That district has been behind for some time. It is said they will vote a special tax in order to pay off their indebtedness at a place the district on a sound basis.

The gold product of the central portion of the territory has never had such a boom as has come to it within the past year. Genuine mining business has come to stay. The wild cat proposition which only meant stock and no gold is gone.

Commission of Sofre L. Alexander, as noted public filed.

The marriage certificate of E. T. Ellsworth and Fannie Williams filed.

Certified Cuttings.

From the Rector.

Mr. Edward Baker has been quite ill with congestive chills, but is now considerably better.

Mr. Geo. L. Wyllie has been down with a severe attack of a gripe but is now able to be around again.

Mrs. B. H. Shaw, with her daughter, Maud, and B. H. Shaw, have returned from Los Angeles and will make their home in the future in Cerrillos.

At Madrid, Rev. W. D. Clayton baptised two children of Mr. and Mrs. Weymouth, Beatrice Alice and Nettie Elizabeth; also Alice Elizabeth Stone.

The miners at Waldo were shut down on account of a broken engine, which will take about three weeks to repair. The men were paid and laid off for probably that length of time.

The wife of John Montoya died the other night. Mrs. Montoya had given birth to a fine boy, and complications arising therefrom are the cause of the sad end. The child is well.

Invitations are out for a neck-tie party at Hart's hall, Wednesday evening, February 14th. At this party the ladies will wear sashes and the gentlemen, if they are lucky, will catch a tie to match. A good time may be expected.

J. G. Doty, who purchased the Storey turquoise mine, which he has been vigorously working for the past month, left for New York, where he was called by imperative business. Mr. Doty expects to return almost immediately. In the meantime a full force of men is at work timbering the mine.

Water Water.

The Santa Fe Water company held a meeting yesterday at the capital and elected S. H. Day, president and treasurer; L. A. Hughes, vice president, and Max Frost, secretary. The New Mexican says: "The construction of a new reservoir of large capacity near the city is being discussed and preliminary arrangements made in that direction. Mr. J. M. Howells, consulting engineer of the Municipal Investment company of Chicago, will leave for Chicago, where the matter will be laid before the company he represents and final arrangements made." Messrs. Day and Howells were here recently figuring for the purchase of the Albuquerque water works.

Cold Weather at Las Vegas.

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Record of Transfers.

Filed in the probate clerk's office since our last report:

Edward Medler and wife to The City of Albuquerque, part of lot 19, Nichols & Bowden addition; consideration, \$80.

Jesus B. Armijo and wife to D. H. Rohrs, lots 11 and 12, block 19, New Mexico Townsite company; consideration, \$3,882.88.

O. N. Marmon, trustee, to E. W. Dobson, release of trust deed to lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 54, New Mexico Townsite company; consideration, \$1,750.

John C. Hollister and wife to J. W. Dobson, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 54, New Mexico Townsite company; consideration, \$1,000.

W. D. Hobson and wife to C. D. Anderson, trustee, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 54, New Mexico Townsite company; consideration, \$1,750.

James R. McCowan and wife to O. W. Strong, lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 6, Duran & Alexander addition; consideration, \$900.

George H. Barney and wife to James B. Smith, property in Gallup; consideration, \$250.

Jacob Yarnardi, successor in trust, to John J. Keegan and wife, release of property to the company's hospital in south Albuquerque, where they are receiving proper care from skillful surgeons and competent nurses.

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ployed at the Las Vegas brewery, has some time the mining prospects for himself and friends down in Water canon, Socorro county.

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B. H. Thayer resigned his position as foreman of the old Abenue at White Oaks and, with his family, will leave in a few days for San Jose, Calif., for permanent residence.

William Krosing, of Watsons, had the misfortune to break his leg. Dr. M. M. Milligan, of Las Vegas, was telegraphed for and left for that place on the midnight train.

Wm. Schuchle, of San Antonio, Tex., passed through White Oaks to Fort Stanton where he will spend several days in overhauling Uncle Sam's outfit, of which his father is a partner and manufacturer.

The census of the Whiteface precinct, which is being compiled by J. P. C. Langston who was appointed for the work by the county commissioners, is very nearly completed. It will show a population within the city limits of about 300, and outside something over 200.

J. C. Neely, H. M. Neely, M. Gaynor and Hubbell Jones have commenced a suit against the Humboldt mining company of Grant county, for \$60,000. The suit is based on a note \$60,000, dated January 30, 1904, made by the Humboldt company.

William Thompson, a steward, was arrested and judged for thirteen days, up at Tucumcari, in default of payment of a fine and costs amounting to \$25, for stealing silver plates from a second hand store. He was drunk at the time and feels sorry the disgrace he has brought upon himself.

Gallup Cleanings.

In the course of time.

E. P. Phelan arrived a short time ago from the west, and will probably remain in the Carbon metropolis.

James Riley, recently from Alpine,

has taken the situation at the Redwood made vacant by the sudden departure of George Williams for "greening"

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Three Trainmen Injured in a Wreck at Atenton.

The first section of freight train No. 34, coming east, met with an accident at Atenton at 4 o'clock Sunday morning, by running into an open switch, and four freight cars, two of oranges and two of lemons, with the engine, flew the track.

Kimer Ward, the engineer, suffered the breaking of his right leg between the knee and thigh, besides being pretty badly bruised over the entire body; his fireman, C. D. Delworth, had his back severely sprained and hip bruised; W. E. Baker, head brakeman, who was in charge of the engine with the engineer and fireman, was thrown from the cab at the time of the "run-off" and was hurt about the back, breast and hips.

The injured men were brought in from the wreck on the delayed No. 2 passenger train last night, and taken to the company's hospital in south Albuquerque, where they are receiving proper care from skillful surgeons and competent nurses.

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